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Pennsylvania Diversity Network GLBT Community Award Celebration

June 13, 2013 At the Stratus Restaurant & Nightlife

Event Chair: Liz Bradbury

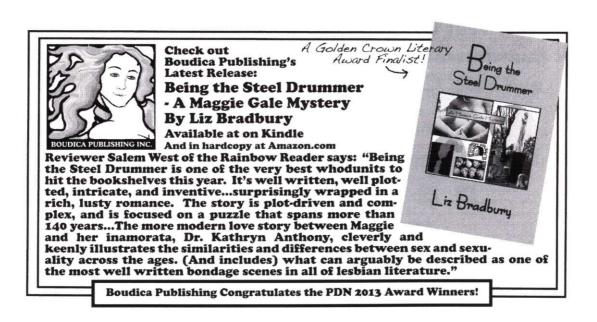
Event Coordinator: Patricia Sullivan

Event Organizational Volunteers: PDN Boardmembers: Liz Fear and Adrian Shanker, and PDN College Intern: Karen Deysher

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and silent auction and basket raffle items in

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PA Diversity Network GLBT Community Award Celebration

Order of the Evening

- 5:30 Doors Open for Reception Jazz by Roberta Meek. Hors d'oeuvres, Drinks, Pasta Bar, Bidding on Silent Auction Items, Basket Raffle (Please line up for the pasta bar when it opens to be sure everyone is served before the awards ceremony begins at 7:30).
- 7:30 Welcome Remarks by Patricia Sullivan, President of Pennsylvania Diversity Network (PDN)

Welcome - Remarks by Ed Pawlowski, Mayor of Allentown Event Opening by Liz Bradbury, Executive Director, PDN

Presentation of PDN Awards

Individual Awards:

Barb Baus and Cathy Burgi Basilio Bonilla State Senator Pat Browne Roberta Meek Dan Miller

Organization Award:

The Spectrum

8:30 Dessert, Coffee, and Tea
Final Bidding on Silent Auction Items, Final Raffle Tickets
Announcement of Basket Raffle and Silent Auction Winners

2013 Honorees

Individual Awards



Activist Barb Baus and Activist Cathy Burgi (posthumous) -- Long time, committed GLBT activists of the Lehigh Valley LGBT Community.



Basilio Bonilla -- College student who successfully ran for Bethlehem School Board and then led the effort to extend benefits to the legal spouses of all employees, including legally married same-sex spouses.



State Senator Pat Browne -- Prime Sponsor of the PA Senate bill that would add sexual orientation and gender identity to Pennsylvania's Civil Rights law, and other supportive votes and actions.



Roberta Meek -- Long time volunteer for many GLBT organizations, served on the PDN Board, helped lead the passage of inclusive civil rights legislation in Allentown, as well as extensive civil rights work, youth outreach, and peace efforts in the Lehigh Valley.



Dan Miller -- Openly Gay member of City Council and elected City Controller of Harrisburg, openly Gay candidate for Harrisburg Mayor, and the prime sponsor of Harrisburg model pro-GLBT legislation.

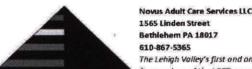
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The Spectrum -- *LGBTQQIA* group supported by Planned Parenthood, that has met weekly in Reading and supported youth for 7 years.



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A seasoned jazz singer, Roberta performs for the public at local venues. She also enjoys presenting interactive workshops using Freedom Songs to tell the story of the African-American experience from slavery through the Civil Rights Movement. Currently Roberta is a Visiting Professor here at Muhlenberg College where she teaches in both the History and Media and Communications Departments.

LGBT Business Council of



Pennsylvania Diversity Network's Mission: To foster strength and vitality in the LGBT community by providing news, information, health programs and other services.

Here's some of what Pennsylvania Diversity Network has done for the community in the last year or so:

1. The Valley Gay Press - The Greater Lehigh Valley & Berks County Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, & Transgender Community News & Opinion Paper (VGP)

Produced and distributed bimonthly issues in hard-copy and now available on-line at the PDN website, the Valley Gay Press brings news and information to the Lehigh Valley Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender community and its allies. The VGP works to support the not-for-profit Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender and allied organizations in the Greater Lehigh Valley and Berks County by providing a free opportunity to make the community aware of their group, organization, project or event. Articles about local Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender and allied not-for-profits are printed and distributed without charge. The VGP encourages forprofit enterprises to host fund raising events for not-or-profit organizations by advertising such events free of charge. Valley Free Press reporters investigate and present news articles about local issues of interest to the Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender and allied community. The VGP hosts 10 regular original GLBT content columns and features and dozens of original articles, per issue, that present information, points of view, and humor to the Eastern Pennsylvania Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender and allied community. Nationally, only a small handful of GLBT community publications feature local original reporting and columns. The VGP, as a community newspaper, is a unique publication due to its high quality original material. The VGP is distributed to 30

locations and mailed to PDN members. It has been in publication for 15 years.

2. Pennsylvania Diversity Network Resource Website:

The Pennsylvania Diversity Network Website, < Resource www.padiversity.org.>, is the largest GLBT resource website in Pennsylvania. It contains referrals of over 400 GLBTfriendly businesses, organizations, groups, and service providers. This website particularly provides listings of specialized and unique services needed by Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender community members. These specialized services include, but are not limited to, physicians, health care practitioners, legal services, counselors and therapists, fertility services, advocacy, and social & support groups who specialize in services for GLBT adults and GLBT youth. The website also is a resource for national, state-wide, and local civil rights information of specific interest to the GLBT community.

- 3. Social Media: Pennsylvania Diversity Network began to use Facebook and Twitter to broaden the organization's reach to the community and to provide more time sensitive and current information about news, activities, and civil rights pertinent to the local community. The Facebook page has grown to over 1,000 members. PDN often breaks GLBT news stories long before any other news media mentions them.
- **4. Trainings:** Pennsylvania Diversity Network provides free trainings and speakers on GLBT issues to a variety of venues. In the last year these have included:

Benco Dental, Pittston, PA (2013) - PDN Executive Director Liz Bradbury was called in to speak with top administration of the company to evaluate the company's GLBT diversity programs and help the company improve its support of GLBT employees and enhance its diversity programs and outreach.

Alvernia University - PDN Executive Director Liz Bradbury was asked to speak with a social work class on GLBT issues.

This was one of the first times Alvernia, a Catholic College, has included this kind of information in its programing.

Lehigh Carbon Community College -PDN Executive Director was asked to speak to administrators and GSA leaders on how the College could improve its pro-GLBT policies and increase the impact of its GSA.

The Swain School - Bradbury was asked to present pro-GLBT diversity policies to its board of diversity directors and educators.

Millersville University - Bradbury was the keynote speaker for the Social Work Graduate Student Seminar at the request of the graduate student in charge of the event.

Wesleyan University - Bradbury was asked to come and speak in a variety of venues at Wesleyan over a two day period, on GLBT issues.

Civic Theatre of Allentown - Bradbury and Adrian Shanker participated in and led a talk-back about the Play 8 by Justin Black.

Lehigh Valley Chamber of Commerce -Bradbury was a presenter on GLBT Issues in the Business Environment at the request of the Chamber of Commerce.

Lebanon College - Bradbury conducted a class on Gender Equality, Sexuality, Civil Rights and Media.

Lafayette University - Bradbury participated on a panel about Marriage Equality at the request of the college administration.

Blue Mountain Ski Resort - Bradbury conducted a training on Diversity Policy to 100 Administration and Managers (of 1000 employees) on GLBT employee non-discrimination policies, at the request of the corporate vice president.

United Friends School - Bradbury conducted a Civil Rights Legislation Class for 6th, 7th and 8th grade UFS students at

the request of the teachers and the administration.

White House Community Partnership Summit - (attended by 350 activists)
Bradbury led a Conversation on GLBT Aging issues in relation to the lack of legal relationship recognition in PA and by the Federal Government by invitation of the White House staff.

Muhlenberg College - Bradbury participated in a panel on GLBT Issues and Workplace Discrimination by request of the college administration.

IMPACT Project - Bradbury conducted a Training on GLBT Youth Issues for 40 Foster Parents, at the request of the agency.

Crime Victims Council of Lehigh Valley - Bradbury taught a class on GLBT rights and anti-bullying strategies inclusive of GLBT youth, at the request of the trainings organizer.

Hicks Art Gallery of Bucks County Community College - Bradbury conducted a class in the art department on documentary photography in relation to the PDN Photo Project, and also did a gallery talk-back at a reception for the project in the College's gallery.

Equality Forum Philadelphia - Bradbury presented a workshop on pro-GLBT legislative strategies with Equality PA as part of the educational program.

Palisades Area School District, Bradbury conducted a workshop on GLBT student and faculty issues for a class of 60 teachers and staff and then served on diversity panel to address a variety of issues for the entire district faculty, as requested by the Principal, the Human Resources Administrator and the Director of Diversity.

5. Advocacy On Progressive Issues:
*Helped to influence Senator Robert
Casey to come out as a supporter of full
marriage equality by presenting over 5000
signed support cards on the issue.

*Collected 3000 issue identification cards re: Respect for Marriage Act in 2012 alone.

Collected 2000 issue identification cards re: Safe Schools Improvement Act in 2012

alone.

*Exhibited the Photo Project: 700 couples facing marriage inequality at Metropolitan Community Church (2010, 2011, 2012)

*Presented a Powerpoint version of the Photo Project: 700 couples facing marriage inequality at Reading Area Community College.

Presented PDN Anti-Bullying information to Allentown School District Families;

*PDN Executive Director Liz Bradbury spoke at Bangor Area School Board in successful support of student led GSA. *Hosted a team for the Women's 5K Classic to Fight Breast Cancer.

*PDN Executive Director asked to speak at signing of Bethlehem Human Relations

Law.

*PDN Executive Director called in as an expert to testify and review legislation in passage of Domestic Partnership Employee Benefits laws in both Allentown and Easton.

*PDN Executive Director called in as an expert to testify and extensive review of potential legislation during Bethlehem City Council discussion of fully inclusive Human Relations Ordinance.

*PDN Executive Director asked to speak at signing of Bethlehem Human Relations

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*Partnered with Muhlenberg College to bring Walter Naegle and the movie "Brother Outsider" to Muhlenberg College. *PDN Executive Director asked to speak in signing of Domestic Partner Benefits Law in Allentown.

*Partnered with Lehigh University to bring Jay Michelson, author of *God v. Gay*" for a lecture and presentation.

*Partnered with Steel Stacks on the LGBT

Film Festival.

6. Infoline:

The GLBT Infoline is a 24 hour call line that provides information and referrals to professional services requested by the GLBT community.

7. Rainbow Families:

Rainbow Families, a GLBTA family group for GLBT parents and their children, family

and friends, provides an avenue of support, sharing information and social events. Rainbow Families used social media through Facebook to connect with GLBTA families and organize family friendly events for GLBTA parents and their children, family and friends.

8. Television/ Radio/ Media:

Business Matters WFMZ TV

PDN Executive Director participated in a Debate on GLBT Legislative Issues with Senator Daylin Leach, Ted Martin of Equality PA v. "The Other Point of View" and responded to live calls from listeners.

Business Matters WFMZ TV

PDN Executive Director participated in a Debate on Don't Ask - Don't Tell and responded to live calls from listeners.

Hola Radio WHOL 95.5FM 1400AM 1600AM (Bilingual) Allentown Largest Hispanic Media in PA

PDN Executive Director presented Information on Discrimination and Bullying and responded to calls from listeners.

Alfa Lopez's Morning Radio Show HOLA WHOL 95.5FM 1400AM 1600AM Allentown Largest Hispanic Media in PA PDN Executive Director spoke about passage of domestic partner benefits for same-sex partners of Allentown City Employees, and responded to calls from listeners.

Radio Times with Marty Moss-Coan WHYY 91 FM Philadelphia PDN Executive Director debated Maggie Gallager of NOM on marriage equality.

9. Print Interviews:

PDN Executive Director is contacted weekly by National, State and Local media for information and expert opinion on GLBT news and happenings.

10. Pride Festivals:

The Board of Pennsylvania Diversity Network and volunteers operate an information booth at Pennsylvania Pride Festivals. During the festivals we provided information about GLBT issues and civil rights, collected signatures on issue identification cards, and took photographs of same-sex committed couples for the

PDN Photo Project: 700 couples facing inequality.

11. Community Awards Celebration:

Annual Event to recognize and honor members of the community at large for their activism and support for LGBT Equality. Individuals, Organizations or Businesses may be recognized for their efforts to promote equality through education, advocacy, development/implementation of pro GLBT business practices/policies and significant volunteer efforts within the GLBT community. This event is regularly attended by over 100 people.

Pennsylvania Diversity Network is the largest LGBT advocacy organization by membership in the Commonwealth of PA. It is volunteer and donor driven, and based in the Lehigh Valley. www.PADiversity.org

What Pennsylvania Diversity Network Does For You Every Day:

Your donations (and silent auction bids!) support these year-round PDN programs:

PDN's Daily Advocacy includes:

Passing non-discrimination laws that include sexual orientation and gender identity.

Helping victims of anti-GLBT discrimination on a case by case basis for

** Working with businesses to provide domestic partner benefits and inclusive non-discrimination polices.

Fighting anti-GLBT efforts,

** Helping constituents contact their legislators.

The Valley Gay Press Newspaper - circulating local GLBT news and information from dozens of GLBT activism and support groups to 1000s of GLBTA readers, since 1998.

The GLBT Infoline: PDN's 24/7 call-in infoline.

Rainbow Families - Activities group for GLBTA parents with children.

PDN Youth Initiative - Offers GLBT youth groups grants for activism efforts.

PDN Library Project - Placing 100s of GLBT books & resources in public libraries.

The National Award Winning Photo Project - Photos of over 700 local samesex couples educate the mainstream community about the lack of marriage equality.

PDN's Web Site - The largest GLBT information and resource web site in PA, with over 350 current listings -www.padiversity.org

PDN Speakers on GLBT Issues presentations on GLBT issues in more than 100 venues, including: TV, radio, colleges, churches, corporations, and organizations.

PDN Special Events: PDN presents and participates in concerts, comedy shows, plays, art exhibits, panels, TV debates, and more.

PDN Annual Awards Celebration - honors GLBT activists in the local community.

PDN Anti-Bullying Programs In Schools helping schools set up fully inclusive policies and programs to fight bullying even before it starts.

When a person in our community is discriminated against or if they need support or information, Pennsylvania Diversity Network is the place they contact, and we are here to answer those calls every day because of your support and donor contributions.

Thanks!

Please Check out the fabulous items in our Silent Auction and remember that all money collected from the auction and from the sale of additional Basket Raffle tickets benefits the programs of Pennsylvania Diversity Network!

How to bid in the auction:

Ask for a bidding number at the auction desk.

Write your number and bid on the bidsheet of the item you want. Begin with the opening bid amount.

If someone out bids you, raise your bid above theirs!

Basket Raffle

To participate in the Basket Raffle simply place one or more of your free raffle tickets into any of the boxes of the items you hope to win. Remember to save the half of the ticket that says - KEEP THIS. The raffle will be called after the program. To purchase extra raffle tickets, see a volunteer.

Pennsylvania Diversity Network thanks these donors of silent auction items, basket raffle and swag bag items:

Silent Auction, Basket Raffle and Swag Bag Donors:

Dr. Elizabeth Goff,
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Brandon Pariser,
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William Sanders,
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Grace Navin - Reflexology, Liz Bradbury and Patricia Sullivan, Liz Fear. Anthony Aversano, Allentown Symphony Hall, Sangria Restaurant, Allentown Art Museum, Heffelfinger's Coffee and Tea in the Allentown Farmers Market. Frank Banko Alehouse Cinemas. Arts Quest, City of Allentown, Allentown Chamber of Commerce, Iron Pigs, Steven T. Libby and Gary Gaugler, The Foo Foo Shop, Boudica Publishing, Inc, Home and Planet. Pride of the Greater Lehigh Valley, Dr. Binae Karpo O.D., Dr. Lee Simpson, DMV, Gary Deal - Ideal Photography, Judy Arendt, Todd Furler. Holiday Inn in Center City Allentown, Wittman's House of Cheese in the Allentown Farmers Market. Allentown Public Theatre. Miriam's Ethiopian Restaurant on 7th Street,

Holly Cummings, A Natural Alternative, State Theatre of Easton, RC Moore Unique and the Good Buy Girls, Pocono Community Theatre, Kow Thai in Allentown, Dennis Gardener, Arts Quest Glass Studio, Peter Lewnes. Miriam Huertas, Lehigh Valley Chamber of Commerce, Dave Moyer, Blue Mt. Ski Area, Reading Pride Celebration, Crown Plaza Hotel of Wyomissing, Say Cheese! Restaurant, Chef Alan's American Bistro. The Stratus Restaurant, The Sigal Museum of Easton, Fegley's Burrito Works, Pride of the Greater Lehigh Valley, Catie Curtis, Roxxxy Andrews of RuPaul's Drag Race, Planned Parenthood Keystone





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Silent Auction Items

- 1. Certificate for an Exam by a Holistic Veterinarian & Acupuncture Exam, for one dog or cat. Donated by Dr. Lee Simpson, Lead Veterinarian of Healing Options for Animals Clinic. Value: \$125-\$195
- 2. Two Tickets to Musikfest Café. Show of your choice, at the Arts Quest Center, at Musikfest. Donated by Arts Quest, Value \$100
- 3. Autographed Photo of Jay McCarroll, Project Runway winner in the show's bebut Season. Donated by Brandon Pariser. Value \$50
- 4. Panasonic Blue-Ray Player, new in box. Donated by Anthony Aversano. Value \$100
- 5. La Mirage Salon Gift Basket

Includes: OPI Nail Polish, Essie Nail Polish, Unite Go 365 Hairspray, 12 Benefits Hair Treatment, Pure NV BKT Shampoo, Pure NV BKT Conditioner, and a Certificate for a cut and style with a Junior Stylist. Value \$150

- 6. & 7. Giant Flying Clown Fish with Helium Tank. Inflatable Giant Flying Clown Fish with remote wireless controls and Helium Tank to fill fish. Sold as one item. Donated by Dr. Elizabeth Goff. Value \$40.00 for fish, \$100 for tank. Sold as one item. Total Value \$140
- Two Decorator Throw Pillows by Landis Decorating in Bucks County. Value \$50

- 9. Certificate for Buckingham Valley Vineyards (In Buckingham, PA. Bucks County) Gift Certificate gives you a Gift Box of two bottles of wine and two glasses. Value \$40
- 10. Cosmo Basket Everything you need to make great cosmos. Includes: Grey Goose Vodka, Cointreau, Cranberry Juice, Lemon/Line Squeezer, Glass and Stainless Steel Cocktail Shaker with recipes, Four Beautiful Blue/Clear Glass Cosmo Glasses, Wine Bag, 2 pot holders, 4 cloth napkins, bar towel, and reinforced Decorative Basket. Value \$135
- 11. Lemon Meringue Martini Basket Includes: Caravella Limoncello, 43 Cuarenta Y Tres, six pack of Dole Pineapple Juice, Four Glass Martini Glasses, Pedrini Metallic Red Press-N-Pour Cocktail Shaker, and decorative Ice Tub. Value \$135
- 12. Listen Live Music Membership -- One Benefactor Membership. Includes:2 reserved seats to every show of the season (10 total), 2 T-shirts, 2 coffee club memberships, and the opportunity to purchase advance sale tickets when available. Donated by Dr. Elizabeth Goff. Value \$500



Congratulations to all of the award winners and to the Pennsylvania Diversity Network for another outstanding year.

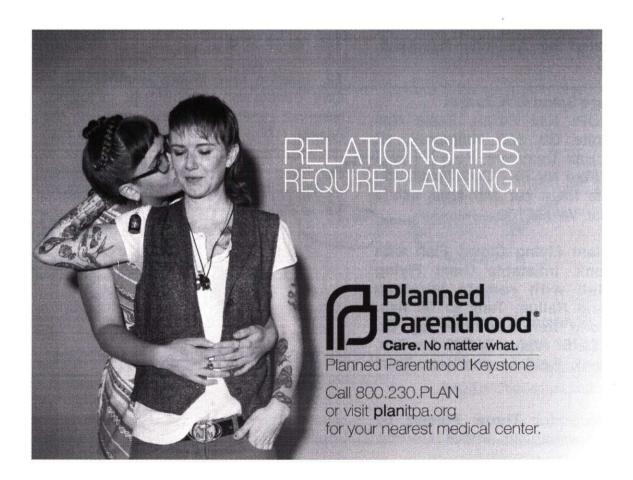
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- 13. Large Abstract Expressionist Drip Painting. Value \$400
- 14. Four Bottles Fine of Wine, Includes: Joseph Drouhin Côte Du Nuits-Villages; Bogle vineyards 2011 merlot; Domaine De Nizas Languedoc Rouge 2008; Pink Truck 2008 California pink wine. Value \$70
- 15. Four Bottles Fine Wine Hamilton Estates Merlot 2011; Valpolicella Ripasso Sueriore 2010; DaVinci Chianti 2010; Marqués Cáceres Crianza 2007 Rioja. Value \$60

16. Organic Food Basket Includes:

Ridge Organic Maple Syrup 12.7 Fl.Oz.; Muir Glen Organic Garlic Cilantro Salsa; Mediterranean Black Cherry Preserves 13 Oz.; Mediterranean Organic Wild Berry Preserves 13 Oz.; Mediterranean Organic Kalamata Olives 4.8 Oz.; Mediterranean Stuffed Green Olives with Red Peppers 5 Oz.; Heavenly Organic Himalayan White Honey 12 Oz.; Rapunzel Organic Chocolate Hazelnut Butter 8.8 Oz.,

San 'J Organic Tamari Gluten Free Sauce 10 Fl. Oz.; Aramingo Pineapple Mango Hot Sauce 5 Oz.; Green & Blacks Hazelnut & Currant Dark Chocolate 3.5 Oz.; Green & Blacks Organic Milk Chocolate 3.5 Oz.; Green & Blacks Maya Gold Dark Chocolate 3.5 Oz.; Green & Blacks Toffee Milk Chocolate 3.5 Oz.,

Equal Exchange Organic Hot Cocoa 12 Oz.; Intrinsic Foods LLC Essential Granola 12 Oz.; Love Crunch Granola Dark Chocolate & Red Berries 11.5 Oz., Woodstock Organic Pistachios 7 Oz.,

Woodstock Organic Sweetened Cranberries 5.25 Oz.,

Vermont Organic Maple Syrup Applesauce 16 Oz.; Down To Earth Trail Mix Harmony Blend 8 Oz.; Bare Fruit Organic Mangos

- 2.2 Oz.; Better Together Organic Chocolate Brownie 3.2 Oz.; Better Together Salted Caramel Brownie 3.2 Oz., 2 Sunspire Dark Chocolate Almonds 1 3/16 Oz.; 3 Heavenly Organic Chocolate Mint Honey Patties; Swisspers Organic Biologicue Cotton Balls; Reinforced Decorative Basket. Donated by Dr. Elizabeth Goff. Value \$165
- 17 Two Subscriptions to Muhlenberg Summer Theatre 2013 Season Featuring Crazy for You A Gershwin Musical; Jesus Christ Superstar; and Seussical the Musical. Donated by Muhlenberg Theater. Value \$120
- 18. Ideal Photography Gift Certificate Includes a Personal Consultation and a One Hour Photography Session and a one 5x7, one 8x10, 10by13. Donated by Gary Deal. Value \$100
- 19. Household Membership to the Allentown Art Museum of the Lehigh Valley. Good for 1 year for 2 adults and any children living in the same household. Benefits include free admission to the Museum and its special exhibition preview parties, discounted rates for programs and lectures, and 10% off in the Museum Store and Café. Donated by the Allentown Art Museum Value \$75

Turn the page for more silent auction items...

- 20. Woven Backpack Basket Backpack style hand-woven basket made especially for the PDN Silent Auction by Local Basket Weaving Artisan Judy Arendt. Donated by Judy Arendt. Value \$125
- 21. Gift Certificate for Mr. Joe's Chimney Sweep Service. May be used for chimney sweeping, repair services, or catalog merchandise. Donated By Mr. Joe's Chimney Sweep Service. Value \$75
- 22. Gift Certificate for Mr. Joe's Chimney Sweep Service. May be used for chimney sweeping, repair services, or catalog merchandise. Donated By Mr. Joe's Chimney Sweep Service. Value \$75
- 23. 3 Board and Card Games: Werewolves of Miller Hollow, Jungle Speed, Travel Blokis. Donated by Todd Furler. Total Value \$42
- 24. Voucher for one night stay at the Holiday Inn Center City Allentown. Donated by the Holiday Inn of Center City Allentown. Value \$125
- 25. Voucher for one night stay at the Holiday Inn Center City Allentown. Donated by the Holiday Inn of Allentown, Value \$125
- 26. Woven Gift Bag, Framed Picture of Madonn. Decorative "green" bag woven from 95% post consumer material (\$10 Value), and Framed picture of Madonna (\$23 Value). Donated by Home and Planet. Total Value \$33
- 27. Farmers Market Gift Certificate Basket Includes: \$20 Gift Certificate

- for Loan's Authentic Vietnamese Bistro, \$15.00 Gift Card for Heffelfingers Coffee & Teas, Donated by Heffelfingers Coffee & Teas, \$10.00 Gift Certificate for Wittman's World of Cheese donated by Wittman's; and \$20 Gift Cert. for Loan's Bistro. Total Value: \$45
- 28. Gift Certificate for Two Tickets to Actors in Action Festival of Staged Readings of Allentown Public Theatre, AND a \$20 Gift Certificate to Miriam's Ethiopian Restaurant on 7th Street in Allentown. Donated by APT and Miriam's Restaurant. Value \$60
- 29. Three Framed Photographs, "Water Scenes" by Holly M. Cummings. Donated by Holly M. Cummings. Value \$45
- 30. Three Framed Photographs, "Green Plants" by Holly M. Cummings. Donated by Holly M. Cummings. Value \$45
- 31. Three Framed Photographs "Black & White Photos" by Holly M. Cummings. Donated by Holly M. Cummings. Value \$45
- 32. Basket of Natural Soaps
 Includes: Himalayan Salt Bath Soak,
 Blue Lagoon Lotion Bar, Almond Lip
 Balm, Egyptian Cotton Bath Fizzy,
 Oatmeal Bath Fizzy, Ocean Tides Bath
 Fizzy, Lavendar Lip Balm, Ginger White
 Lotion Bar, Five Varieties of Natural
 Soaps. Donated by A Natural
 Alternative, Value \$55
- 33. State Theatre Tickets Two Tickets to Dave Kos & Friends (Jazz Saxophonist) at State Theatre in Easton, PA. on Saturday, July 13th,

- 2013 at 7pm. AND a \$25 gift certificate to the Kow Thai Restaurant in Allentown. Donated by State Theatre and Kow Thai Restaurant. Value \$57
- 34. Milliner Designed Riding Hat (\$48) and \$5 Gift Certificate from RC Moore, Unique/The Good Buy Girls, shop on 18th Street in Allentown, PA. Donated by RC Moore, Unique/The Good Buy Girls. (Display head is not included.) Total Value: \$53
- 35: Movie Lover's Ticket Basket. 2 movie Tickets to the 19th Street Theatre in Allentown, 2 movie Tickets to the Frank Banko Alehouse Cinemas in Bethlehem, 6 movie tickets to Poconos Community Theatre in East Stroudsburg. Donated by Civic Theatre, Steel Stacks Arts Quest, and Pocono Community Theatre. Value \$94
- 36. Thai Food and a Movie \$25 gift certificate to the Kow Thai Restaurant in Allentown. AND 2 movie Tickets to the 19th Street (Civic Movie) Theatre in Allentown. Donated by Kow Thai and Civic Theatre. Value: \$45
- 37. Two Tickets to a Civic Theatre Performance of "Spring Awakening" and a backstage chat after the performance with Civic Theatre's Artistic Director William Sanders & Cast of the Play at The Civic Theatre of Allentown. Donated by Civic Theatre, and by Civic Theatre's Artistic William Sanders. Value \$150
- 38. Designer Folding Sun Glasses designed and made by "Juicy Couture." Donated by Dr. Binae Karpo O.D. Value: \$120
- 39. Designer Sun Glasses designed

- and made by "bebe." Donated by Dr. Binae Karpo O.D. Value: \$195
- 40. Designer Sun Glasses designed and made by "Kliik" Denmark. Donated by Dr. Binae Karpo O.D. Value: \$150
- 41. 2 Paintings on Slate of Male Nudes by Liz Bradbury. Sold as a set of two. Donated by Liz Bradbury. Total value: \$100
- 42. 2 Paintings on Slate of Female Nudes by Liz Bradbury. Sold as a set of two. Donated by Liz Bradbury. Total value: \$100
- 43. "Endless Landscape Road Trip to Bleptania" 4 Heat Resistant Washable Glazed Ceramic Tiles that can be used as trivets or interchangeable art on display. By Liz Bradbury. Total value: \$120
- 44. "Endless Landscape Road Trip to Bleptania Pocket Map Series" 8 Heat Resistant Washable Glazed Ceramic Tiles that can be used as trivets, coaster or interchangeable art on display. By Liz Bradbury. Total value: \$120
- 45. Handmade Art Glass Vase made and donated by Dennis Gardner of the Arts Quest Glass Studio, This magnificent red opaque art glass vase with two pink rings to celebrate marriage equality and a rainbow ribbon to celebrate GLBT pride, was made expressly for Pennsylvania Diversity Network just last week. Value \$2500

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- 46. 4 Books and a Hand-Colored Map by Liz Bradbury The first 2 Maggie Gale Lesbian Romance/Mysteries Angel Food and Devil Dogs, and Being the Steel Drummer, a hand colored limited edition map that is part of the Steel Drum story, a copy of Sinister Wisdom Magazine which Liz Edited, and Liz's most recent published work, a Maggie Gale short story as part of the short story collection: Affinity Puts the X Back in Xmas. \$80.00
- 47. Be a character in Liz Bradbury's next novel in the Maggie Gale Mystery Series novel "C-Notes and Ski-Nose." You can choose to be heroic or a villain. Donated by Liz Bradbury. Value: \$200.
- 48. Pair of Iron Pigs Tickets (\$18) and a Kow Thai Restaurant in Allentown Gift Certificate (\$25). Donated by The Iron Pigs and Kow Thai Restaurant. Total value: \$43.00
- 49. Six books: 4 by Andrea Dworkin, 2 about Lesbian life experience. Value: \$129.00
- 50. Seven books about famous gay men. Includes 2 about Allen Ginsberg, 1 about Mapplethorpe, 1 about Tom Waddell, 1 about Larry Kramer, and others. Value: \$126.00
- 51. Five biographies Leonard Bernstein, Stephen Crane, Roger Baldwin, Aaron Copland and Norman Mailer. Value: \$127.00
- 52. Four mysteries 3 by Tony Fennelly and 1 by Sandra Scoppettone. Value: \$60.00

- 53. Ten cookbooks 2 Moosewood Restaurant books, Hay Day Market, Italian Soups, 2 Cooking Class Chinese Books, Martha Stewart, and others. Value: \$ 123.00
- 54. Gift Certificate for Reflexology One Session with Grace Navin, Therapeutic Reflexology, which works on rebalancing the body by stimulating the reflex areas of the hands & feet that correspond to every part of the body. It is used to reduce stress, improve blood supply, promote nerve conduction, & balance the organ systems while bringing about a state of relaxation. In Emmaus, PA. Value: \$60.
- 55. Gift Certificate for Therapeutic Massage One 2 hour session by Marie Ruxton LMT, CN. Value \$ 150.00 Imagine entering a warm, cozy, soft lit room, leaving behind your stress & tension. Once inside, feel your senses come alive. Visualize lying on soft comfortable table, with soft music & pleasing aromas soothing your soul. After your body is massaged, your tension melts away as you are swaddled in warm towels.
- 56. Carved Mother-of-Pearl Pendant in heavy-Gold-Plated Sterling Silver Mount on Necklace Chain. Value \$65.00
- 57. Autographed Sally Field Photo and 4 movie tickets to Pocono Community Theatre in East Stroudsburg. Donated by Steve Libby and Pocono Community Theatre. Value \$60.00
- 58. Reading, PA Food and Fun \$20 Gift Certificate to Chef Allan's American Bistro, \$15 Gift Certificate to Say Cheese! Reading, PA, Reading Pride Party & Festival Passes. Value:

- 59. Beautiful Handmade Art Glass Vase by Peter Lewnes. Donated by Peter Lewnes. Value: \$350
- 60. Two Tickets to a Classical Event at Allentown Symphony and a \$20 gift certificate to Sangria Restaurant in Allentown. Donated by the Allentown Symphony and Sangria Restaurant. Value: \$110
- 61. Two Admissions to the Wharton Esherick Museum of Contemporary Woodworking in Paoli, PA. Two admissions to the Sigal Museum. Donated by the Sigal Museum. Value \$38
- 62. Two Lift Tickets for Blue Mountain Ski Area. Donated by Blue Mountain. Value: \$130
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- 63. \$40 Gift Certificate for Listen Live! Music, may be used for tickets or merchandise. And a \$20 Gift Certificate to Miriam's Ethiopian Restaurant in Allentown. Donated by Listen Live! Music and Miriam's. Value: \$60
- 64. Two Movie Tickets to Civic Theatre, Two Movie Tickets to Steel Stacks Frank Banko Alehouse Movies, and a \$25 Gift Certificate to Kow Thai Restaurant. Donated by Civic, Arts Quest, and Kow Thai. Value: \$51
- 65. Framed Roxxxy Andrews Autograph. Donated by Stratus Restaurant. Value \$50.

- 66. Entire Collection of Gaydar Magazines and Gaydar T-Shirt. Donated by Steve Libby. Value \$100
- 67. Sign Waterford cut glass crystal Celtic cross. Donated by Liz Fear. Value: \$125
- 68. Cow Parade "Dancing Diva" Collectible. Donated by Liz Fear. Value \$35.
- 69. Jeff Palmer Sensual Man book and 3 other books. Donated by Steve Libby. Value \$50.

Basket Raffle Prizes

(Your Basket Raffle Tickets are in your Swag Bag)

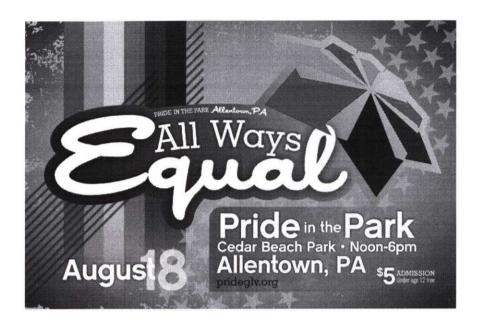
- #1. 2 Framed Prints Jester Wools for Gayer Garments & Lady Liberty Kissing Justice.
- **#2.** Saturday Evening Post Wonder Woman & Lady Liberty Kissing Justice.
- #3. Dar Williams Autographed CD "My Better Self."
- #4. Black "Pearl" Necklace and Bracelet.
- #5. New Yorker Magazine May 13, 2013 Mother's Day Cover, Featuring Lesbian Mothers.
- #6. Set of Four 100% Cotton Napkins.
- #7. Two 1930's Art Deco Cartoon Images Cocktails Dancing & 3 Men in Tuxes.
- #8. Six Collectible Happy Meal Toys Batwoman, Bat Girl, Robin, Yosemite Sam, Squidward, and Taz as Flash.
- #9. Antique Glass Insulator Made Into a Night Light.
- #10. Original Limited Edition Art Drawing by Liz Bradbury.

Basket Raffle Prizes Continued

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- #11. Framed Antique Bookplate "Mary, Mary, Quite Contrary."
- #12. 2 Original Art Ceramic (Washable and Heatproof) Coasters "Bleptanian Landscape" By Liz Bradbury.
- #13. Original Art Ceramic Trivet (Washable and Heatproof)- "Bleptanian Landscape" by Liz Bradbury.
- #14. Autographed Catie Curtis CD, Concert Program, and Valley Gay Press.
- #15. Tin Duck and Ducklings Friction Toy.
- #16. "Mercy Island" Book Plate Battery Operated Clock by Steve Libby.
- #17. Gargoyle Foot Bookend.
- #18. "Discovering Britain and Ireland" Coffee Table Book.
- #19. 100% Cotton Decorative Bead Decorated Neck Tie.
- #20. "Affinity and Friends Put the X Back in X-Mas" Lesbian Erotica by Nine Authors including Liz Bradbury (who will autograph it if you like).
- #21. "Angel Food and Devil Dogs A Maggie Gale Mystery" - Book One in the Maggie Gale Mystery Series by Liz Bradbury (who will autograph it if you like).
- #22. "Being The Steel Drummer A Maggie Gale Mystery" - Book Two in the Maggie Gale Mystery Series by Liz Bradbury (who will autograph it if you like).
- #23. Four Kenworth Baseball Caps.
- #24 "Don't Assume I Fix Things" T-Shirt XL.

- #25. Two "All American Dyke" sleeveless T Shirts Small.
- #26 Two Decorative Picture Frames One 3 1/2 x 5, one 4 x 6 oval
- #27. Gay Men's Book Selection Le Roi Jones / Amiri Baraka Reader, Bob Parks Generation Queer, By With To & From a Lincoln Kirstein Reader.
- #28 Selection of Seven Novels Ladies Of Levittown, Now It's Time To Say Goodbye, Life Drawing, Snapshots, Zombie00, Fragments, Uncle.
- #29 Large anthropomorphic Dorothy rubber duck with Toto.
- #30. Citrus, Sandlewood and Nutmeg scented Mustache Soap.
- #31. Set of Two Newspaper Place Mats Insert Your Own 5X7 Photo.
- #32. Roxxxy Autograph From RuPaul's Drag Race.
- #33. Pair of Pride in the Park Greater Lehigh Valley Pride Festival Tickets.
- #34. Pair of Cards for Free Burritos at the Burrito Place in Allentown.
- #35. 2 Movie Tickets to The Pocono Community Theatre.
- #36. Pair of 19th Street Theatre Movie Tickets.
- #37. 2 Tickets to each of the King and Queen of Pride of the Greater Lehigh Valley Pageants.
- #38. 2 Movie Tickets to The Pocono Community Theatre.
- #39. Paws and Claws Rubber Chicken Dog Toy.



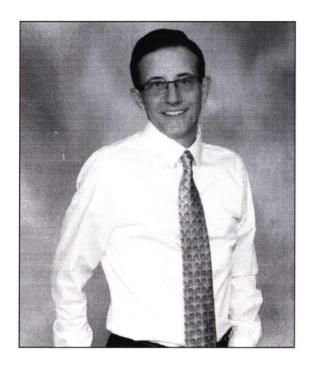


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Peter Schweyer, Allentown Councilman

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